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# UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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Title

Transmission of Digitized Voice, Voiceband Data  
Phone Signaling Over a Priority-Based Local Area  
Network Without the Use of Voice Over IP  
Techniques and/or a Separate Voice-Dedicated  
Network

(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b))

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